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JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DR LAWRENCE'S

WOMAN'S FRIEND!

A SAFE AND RELIABLE REMEDY FOR ALL DISEASES

PECULIAR TO FEMALES.

SUCH AS

LEUCHORRHŒA, OR WHITES; PROLAPSUS UTERI, OR FALLING OF THE WOMB; IRREGULAR, PAINFUL OR SUPPRESSED MENSTRUATION; PAIN IN THE BACK; NERVOUSNESS, WAKEFULNESS, WEAKNESS, &C., &C., &C.

☞ Dedicated to the Ladies of America, for whose benefit it was designed, and whose happiness it will promote, by the discoverer, JOS. J. LAWRENCE, M. D.

TO PHYSICIANS.

The articles of which the WOMAN'S FRIEND is compounded are published around each bottle, and it is believed to be the

Best Uterine Tonic and Alterative yet Discovered.

☞ It is a valuable and reliable agent in all Derangements of the Reproductive Organs, and in Hysteria, Nervous Headache, Spinal Irritation, &c.

J. H. BAKER & CO., Wholesale Agents
No. 4 Main Street, Norfolk, Va.
☞ To whom all orders must be addressed.
FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
Feb. 22-5m

Plows, Hoes, &c.

200 NO. 0 PLOWS.
50 No. 6 "
50 Cotton "
150 doz. Cotton Hoes—all sizes.
10 " Ames', Rowland's and other Shovels.
10 " Trace Chains.
10 " Plow Harness.
10 " Mule and Horse Collars.

Riding Saddles, Cart saddles Bridles, Harness Leather, Black Waxed Upper Leather, &c., &c., which I offer on good terms.
Feb. 28-1869 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

Cotton Seed Meal! Cotton Seed Meal!

200 BUSHELS of this best of Cow Food, in store.
Feb 22-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

Prime Seed Oats.

JUST RECEIVED, from Western Carolina, a large consignment of prime heavy Oats, for seed. Also in store and constantly receiving, Irish Potatoes, Onions and Cabbage.
JAMES M. TOWLES,
Feb. 22-1w Asst. & Com. Merchant.

MOUNTAIN BUTTER, IN SMALL KITS for families, received by almost every train.
JAMES M TOWLES,
Feb. 22-1w Asst. & Com. Merchants.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,
Fine Mountain Apples, Seed Oats,
Onions and Onion Sets,
Irish Potatoes and White Corn Meal.
Feb. 22-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

Molasses, Molasses.

8 HHDS. MORE OF THAT GOOD MOLASSES
For sale by
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

AUCTION, AUCTION, MONDAY NIGHT.

Ladies Dress Goods, Calf Boots and Shoes and general Merchandise.
W. H. JONES & CO.
Feb. 22-tf Asst. & Com. Merchants.

Fall and Winter Importations.

1869. — 1869.

MILLINERY GOODS!

RIBBONS, TRIMMING RIBBONS, VELVET RIBBONS.

SILKS, SATINS, VELVETS.

FANCY BONNET MATERIALS.

BLONDS CRAPES NETTS.

FRENCH FLOWERS, PLUMES AND ORNAMENTS.

BONNETS and LADIES' HATS IN STRAW, SILK, VELVET and FELT.

We offer the largest and best assorted Stock in the U. States comprising all the latest Parisian Novelties, and unequaled in choice variety and cheapness.
ARMSTRONG, CATOR, & CO.,
237 and 239 Baltimore Street,
Feb. 23-tf Baltimore.

ENCOURAGE HOME ENTERPRIZE!

orth Carolina Mutual Home Insurance Company!

INCORPORATED DECEMBER, 1868.

CHARTERED CAPITAL, $500,000. | AMOUNT NOW LIABLE FOR LOSSES, $170,000.

OFFICERS:

JAMES H. FOOTE, President.
W. E. PELL, Vice Pres. SEATON GALES, Sec.
R. H. BATTLE, Treasurer.

R. G. LEWIS,
A. W. LAWRENCE,
J. H. DAVIS. } *Executive Committee.*

Gen. Ag't for Western N. C.—GEN. R. B. VANCE
" " Eastern " THOS. THOMPSON.

Office: First door South of Raleigh Nat. Bank,
RALEIGH, N. C.

THIS HOME COMPANY, CHARTERED BY the Legislature of North Carolina, insures property against loss or damage by
FIRE, LIGHTNING, OR TORNADO,
and does business on the Mutual and Joint Stock plans.

The character of those who control the affairs of the Company is a sufficient guarantee that it is, what it professes to be, a HOME ENTERPRIZE, offering ample and liberal protection against loss by fire, &c., on the most easy and liberal terms to insurers.

The TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS in N. C. Bonds, required by the Charter to be deposited with the Public Treasurer, have promptly been so deposited and the Treasurer's receipt therefor obtained.

Policies are issued for a term not to exceed five years.

No other Company offers greater inducements to Insurers.

Now is the time for all who feel any interest in a HOME INSTITUTION to come forward and encourage this Company,—receiving, as they will, reciprocal benefit in the enhancement of value and protection of their property.

For further particulars, address the Secretary, or consult General or Local Agents, who will, in due time, be announced.

☞ ALL LOSSES PROMPTLY ADJUSTED AND PAID.

W. H. MURDOCH, Asst. Sec & Local Agt. | SEATON GALES, Secretary.
Jan. 30-3m

WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

SUPERIOR COTTON SEED!

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS!!

VICK COTTON SEED!
PEELER COTTON SEED!
MONTEREY COTTON SEED!

HAVING PERFECTED ARRANGEMENTS by which I can secure good seed from

THE FAR SOUTH,

I invite the attention of Farmers to specimen Seed at my Store.

☞ Orders solicited at once.

DOUGLAS BELL,
Fayetteville Street,
Feb 9-tf Raleigh, N. C.

COD FISH! IRISH POTATOES! ONIONS! For sale by
Feb. 13-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

TWO HUNDRED BUSHELS CORN, Just received on consignment by
Feb 13-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

200 BUSHELS MEAL, In store and for sale by
DOUGLAS BELL,
Raleigh, Feb. 13-tf Fayetteville St.

NICE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR! CHOICE GOSHEN BUTTER! Extra XXX Drips. Just received by
Feb. 16-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

PRIME WHITE MEAL! PRIME WHITE CORN! Superior SEED OATS. For sale by
Feb. 16-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

COFFEES! SUGARS! A full stock just received by
Feb. 16-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR! From $6 50 to $7 50 per barrel. Come and see it at my store on Fayetteville Street. DOUGLAS BELL,
Feb. 16-tf Grocer.

BACON, LARD, SUGARS, of all grades. Candy, Axle Grease. Cotton Yarns and Sheetings. Edgerton Snuff. Concentrated Lye. N. O Shoes, Rice. Rosin Soap, Raniels. Sole Leather. Just arrived, and for sale at
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

Nails, Nails,

OLD DOMINION NAILS, assorted numbers. For sale by
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

RAISINS! RAISINS! New Layer Raisins on hand and for sale by
Feb. 13-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

SUGAR! SUGAR! SUGAR! Or shed, Powdered, Extra C. Porto Rico, and Common Brown Sugars, for sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.

CANDY! CANDY! Another lot of newly-made Candy, in 25 lb. boxes, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

RAISINS! RAISINS! Another supply of new Layer Raisins, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

BACON AND LARD. A new supply of new Bacon and Family Lard, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

COTTON YARNS AND SHEETINGS. Another supply of Holt's Sons Yarns and Sheetings, at
UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

SHOES! SHOES! SHOES! Another supply of Shoes, N. C. manufacture.
UPCHURCH & DODD.

SNUFF! SNUFF! SNUFF!

DIP, DIP, DIP.

FRESH SNUFF, FRESH SNUFF.

EGERTON'S SCOTCH SNUFF, the only Snuff that will sell in this Market. It has been used in this State for more than twenty-five years, and will be used for the next twenty-five years to come.
For sale Wholesale and Retail by
Jan. 28-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

FOR SALE:

A first rate PORTABLE STEAM SAW MILL and ENGINE, of 15 horse power, all iron, on wheels, tires 6 inches wide.
The carriage can be moved by two good horses.
W. H. JONES & CO.
Jan. 9-tf Auction and Com. Merch'ts.

FOR SALE.

Five crates of cheap Crockery. Samples now on exhibition at our store.
W. H JONES & CO.,
Feb. 9-tf Auction and Com. Merchants.

ANOTHER CONSIGNMENT OF MISH, Catawba, Scuppernong and Clinton Grape Vines.
Feb. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

A. D. TAYLOR,
Grocer and Commission Merchant,

No. 10 Hargett Street.

Dealer in CHOICE FAMILY SUPPLIES. Liquors, Teas, Coffees, Spices, Wood and Willow Ware, Crockery, &c. Feb 2 tf

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED, AND HAVE FOR sale, Abbot's Forms of Practice and Pleading
Whitaker's " "
Greenleaf on Evidence, and other standard Law Books, for sale at publisher's prices.
Any Law Book furnished on order, at short notice and lowest prices, by
J. A. JONES,
Feb. 5-tf Raleigh, N. C.

MR. F. W. WALTER, OF THE GREAT Baltimore Piano establishment of WM. KNABE & CO., will visit Raleigh in a few days. Mr. Walter will, at moderate prices, attend to any tuning needed in the City and will also take orders for new instruments at Factory prices.
All orders left at the Exchange House, requiring his services as Tuner, will be attended to, on his arrival. Feb. 16-tf

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE KNICKERBOCKER

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF NEW YORK.

Southern Branch, SAVANNAH, Ga.,

A. WILBUR, *Manager.*
R. D. ARNOLD, *Consulting Physician.*

THE ONLY BRANCH OFFICE OF LIFE INSURANCE IN THIS SECTION WHERE POLICIES ARE ISSUED AND LOSSES PAID.

ASSETS NEARLY

$5,000,000.

ANNUAL INCOME NEARLY

$3,000,000.

Annual Dividends nearly 50 per cent.

$73,500 LOSSES PAID BY THE SOUTHERN BRANCH IN TWO YEARS.

THE KNICKERBOCKER IS AN OLD, RELIable Company, and offers as great inducements to insurers as any solvent Company can. Issues Policies on every desirable plan. Loans one-third of Premium to Policy-Holder.

All Policies non-forfeitable, as the insured can at any time, on demand, get its surrender value.

NO RESTRICTIONS ON RESIDENCE OR TRAVEL.

NO EXTRA CHARGE for OFFICERS of the ARMY or NAVY, Officers of first-class Steam or Sail Vessels, or Railroad Conductors, &c.

The "KNICKERBOCKER" is ONE of the TWO Northern Companies whose Policies in the South were kept intact during the entire Rebellion, whose Dividends were accredited to Policy Holders as though Premiums were paid.

And is THE Company that paid all losses after the war, that occurred during the war, thus proving its integrity, the honorable method of conducting its business, and its indisputable solvency.

The KNICKERBOCKER still pays all losses, never disputes a just claim, and is as liberal and SAFE as any Company in America.

W. S. BELDEN,
General Agent for N. C.,
Raleigh.

Geo. H. Snow, Agent, Raleigh.
Jan. 21-3m

Importance of Life Insurance.

Read another forcible illustration of how the CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY pays its losses:—

"Received, at Raleigh, N. C., Jan 29th, 1869, of S. D. Wait, General Agent of the Conn. Mutual Life Ins. Co., two thousand five hundred and forty five dollars, in full payment of Policy No. 84,031 and dividend on the life of my late husband, ——, and I hereby surrender all my right, title and interest in the same to said Company.
(Signed) ——, of Newbern, N. C."

We refrain from publishing the names of the parties, because we do not think it advisable to publish one's private business, but will state, although the party had not been insured quite five months, yet received a 50 per cent. dividend of $45 on the premium paid. The dividends of this Company have been larger than those of any other, averaging over 50 per cent. annually, from the beginning and the present dividend (Feb. 1st, 1869,) exceeds the average. On this *seventh* annual dividend the Directors have, besides declaring a 45 per cent. dividend upon the premium paid, declared a per centage dividend on the surplus reserve arising from interest, which increases the policy holder's dividend annually, and on some policies pays over 70 per cent. this year. They have also adopted a *reduced all-cost premium table* with immediate annual dividends.

This company is purely mutual; there are no *Stockholders* to absorb its earnings. It offers abundant security in a large accumulated fund of over TWENTY-THREE MILLIONS DOLLARS, derived alone from its business, and has $134 assets, securely invested for every $100 of its liabilities. Its plans of business comprise all the desirable forms of insurance. S. D WAIT,
Feb 3 tf Gen. Agent, Raleigh, N C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HENRY V. NIEMEYER,

General COMMISSION MERCHANT,

AND DEALER IN

PROVISIONS, LIME, COAL, SALT,

Lumber, Bricks, Plaster & Cement

PERUVIAN GUANO & SUPER PHOSPHATE, RAW BONE, LAND PLASTER & LIME,

HIGH STREET & CENTRAL WHARF,

PORTSMOUTH, Va.

Special attention to sales of Cotton, Grain, Lumber, Naval stores, &c., coming by any Railroad Canal or Water course.
Feb 10-3m

The North Carolina Land Co.

HAVE for sale a fine 2 story frame House in the City of Raleigh, with 16 rooms, fire place in each. Feb 5-tf

THE N. C. LAND COMPANY have applications for two or three Dwelling Houses in the City. Feb 5-tf

JOHN S DANCY, F. M HYMAN, T. B. HYMAN, Tarboro, N. C. Lake Warrent's N. C. of N. Y.

HYMANS & DANCY,

General COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 47 Wide Water St., (Rear of Custom House,)
NORFOLK, Va.

DANCY, HYMAN & CO.,

General COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 24 Exchange Place, New York.

Cotton and other produce sold at owners option in Norfolk or New York, charging only one commission. feb 3-tf

Family Carriage for sale.

A NEAT LIGHT CARRIAGE, with Shafts and Tongue, and two sets Harness, arranged for one or two horses, but little used and in perfect order. JAS. M. TOWLES,
Feb. 18-tf Auction & Com. Merchant.

LIFE INSURANCE.

ÆTNA

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

HON. E. A. BULKELEY, President,
AUSTIN DUNHAM, Vice "
T. O. ENDERS, Secretary.
H. W. STJOHN, Actuary.

SUMMARY OF BUSINESS FOR 1867

Total Assets, over	$10,000,000
Polices Insured in '67,	15,251
Am'nt insured, nearly	$45,000,000
Policies Average "	3,000
Receipts for 1867,	5,129,447
Surplus for Dividends,	2,000,000

Dividend Fifty per cent.

Receipts for Interest Nearly Paid Its Losses.

It has $130 Assets for every $100 Liabilities.

Its premium receipts at the present time are nearly HALF A MILLION DOLLARS per month and are rapidly increasing.

The growth of the Ætna has never been equaled by any other Company whatsoever, in Europe or America.

Particular attention is called to the fact that while its business is increasing unprecedentedly, its ratio of expenses is comparatively small.

ECONOMY of management, CARE in the selection of risks, *promptness* in the payment of death claims, and *security* in the investment of its immense Trust Funds, are rigidly adhered to, and have ever characterized this Company.

The ÆTNA issues all the favorite kinds of Polices at the most favorable rates.

The ÆTNA issued last year more Endowment Insurances than any other Company.

The ÆTNA'S ratio of expenses, or cost of new business is less than any other Company whatsoever, and less than *two-thirds* of the average.

The ÆTNA is as liberal in permits to travel, in all parts of the world, as a sound discretion will warrant, and is much more liberal than any other prominent Company.

ANNUAL INCOME over $6,000,000.

The only Company that has the Low Participating Non-forfeitable Term Insurance with privilege of renewal. Ex. of rate at age 30 @14 67, which is nearly 40 per cent. lower than any other leading Company. Also

Non-forfeiting cash rates with dividends on contribution plan and payable at the end of the first year.

Description of Policies.

First—Whole Life Policies.
Second—Endowment Policies, for terms of ten fifteen, twenty, twenty-five, thirty, and thirty-five years.

AGES.

Insurance will be granted at all ages from fifteen to sixty years.

PREMIUMS.

Premiums are payable annually during the continuance of the insurance, or annually during a period of five, ten, fifteen, or twenty years within the insurance term, or by single payment.

DIVIDENDS.

All Whole Life and Endowment Policies, issued at the rates published herewith, will participate in the surplus from the date of issue,

The dividends will be declared and paid annually upon the contribution plan, and may be applied as the assured shall elect, either to reduce future premiums, or to increase the Cash Value of the Policy.

If no election be made the dividends will be added to the Cash Values.

When, by adding the dividends to the Cash Value, the accumulations on any Policy shall have become sufficient to keep the same in force for its *full amount*, without further payments, the assured may, at his option, either continue payment of premiums—and enlarge thereby the annual additions to its Cash Value—or discontinue them; and in either case, when the accumulations shall have become equal to the sum insured, the annual dividends on the Policy will be declared as a per centage of said sum, and paid in cash, and upon surrender of said Policy the sum insured thereby will be paid in *full*, without regard to the time fixed therein for its payment.

The system of applying the dividends is peculiarly advantageous to the assured, securing, at an increased age, not only relief from further payment of premiums, but, at the same time, an annual income until death, unless he shall have previously received full payment of the Policy.

Dividends on paid-up Policies—that is, Policies which require no further payment of premium to continue them in force for the original amount of insurance—will be paid in cash upon demand.

NON-FORFEITURE RULES.

No whole Life or Endowment Policy, on which two or more annual cash premiums have been paid, shall be forfeited by failure to make further payment as stipulated therein, but will continue in force for the full amount which the Cash Value and dividends, then accumulated, will purchase, taken as a single net premium, upon the "Actuaries" rate of mortality and four per cent. interest; and the amount continued in force will generally exceed the aggregate of the payments actually made, extra charges excepted.

W. H. CROW,
General Agent

And Manager for Virginia, Southof the James, and the State of North Carolina.
Dec. 16-tf *Office, Raleigh, N. C.*

THE

MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF NEW YORK.

ORGANIZED 1843.

CASH ACCUMULATIONS OVER $30,000,000, AND EXCLUSIVELY THE PROPERTY OF THE POLICY HOLDERS.

DIVIDENDS ANNUALLY IN CASH, WHICH CAN BE USED EITHER TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF POLICY OR TO DECREASE THE ANNUAL PREMIUMS.

Over $300,000 returned to Southern Policy Holders, after the War, as the Surrender Value of their Policies.

Policies issued on all approved plans, and particular attention called to the ENDOWMENT POLICIES of this Company, as a safe and profitable investment. For further particulars, apply to

O. P. BRESEE, GEN. AG'T.,
BALTIMORE, MD.

C. C. CROW, Agent, Raleigh, N. C.
JACOB PARKER, " Warrenton, "

☞ Other Agents of the Company will be announced in due time.
Feb. 10-3m

THE

EQUITABLE

LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY,

OF

NEW YORK.

THE rapid advancement of "THE EQUITABLE," to the very front rank of American Life Insurance Companies, the unprecedented amount of its *new business* for the year ending September 30th, 1868, being over

FIFTY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS,

the large accumulation by it of EIGHT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, together with an annual income of FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, afford the very best evidences of its popularity, success and reliability.

A brief comparison of the Society's business for the first nine years of its organization, will best illustrate its remarkable progress.

PROGRESS OF THE SOCIETY.

Years.	No. Pol'c's Issued	Sum Assured	Income.	Assets.
1859	*	*	*	*
mos.	277	$ 1,178,000 00	$ 23,514 00	$ 120,772 00
1860	613	1,905,500 00	77,424 00	162,618 00
1861	678	1,818,750 00	107,647 00	240,636 00
1862	1,225	2,853,450 00	174,016 00	322,298 00
1863	1,639	4,591,900 00	308,471 00	584,714 00
1864	2,973	8,758,650 00	615,491 00	1,031,977 00
1865	3,415	13,748,650 00	971,505 75	1,946,525 95
1866	7,245	30,072,450 00	2,060,077 00	3,077,760 00
1867	10,465	42,730,520 00	3 947 032 74	5,125,429 15
*1868	*11,000	* 51,866,814 00	*5,100,000 00	*8,000,000 00

*Year ending September 30th, 1868.

STANDING OF THE EQUITABLE SINCE ITS ORGANIZATION.—In 1859, it was the ninth. In 1861, the eighth. In 1862 and 1863, the seventh. In 1864 and '65, the sixth. In 1866, the fourth. In 1867, fiscal the 2nd.

DIVIDENDS PAID ANNUALLY IN CASH.

Agents wishing to represent the Society, or persons wishing information in regard to Life Assurance, will please address special Agents.

HUTCHISON, BURROUGHS & CO.,
General Agents,

W. H. FINCH, Special Agent for N. C.
Charlotte, N. C.
T. C. HOOPER,
J. R. B. HATHAWAY, } TRAVELING AGENTS.
J. B. MARTIN,
Dec. 18-3m

RALEIGH SASH, BLIND AND DOOR FACTORY.

All orders promptly attended to.
THOS. H. BRIGGS,
Dec 1. Proprietor.

The N. C. Land Company

HAVE orders for 50 or 100,000 acres of timbered Swamp Lands in the Eastern part of the State. Any person having such land to dispose of, on reasonable terms will address
R. W. BEST,
Sec'y and Treas'r,
Feb. 6-tf Raleigh, N. C.

TO TOBACCONISTS.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE JUST RECEIVED 2,500 pounds
PURE LICORICE MASS,
compromising the following celebrated brands, viz: G. B., F. N. F. A. R. S. which they will sell in cases at the NEW YORK PRICES, freight and charges added.
Feb. 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON.

N. C. SHEETINGS AND COTTON YARNS at Factory Prices, by the bale.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 10-tf

CHOICE MARYLAND HAMS, at 22½cts.
A. D. TAYLOR,
Feb 5-tf No. 10 Hargett St.

SPONGE.

P. F. PESCUD & SON HAVE JUST RECEIVED a choice stock of all kinds of Sponge some of which is the most beautiful and desirable we have seen for many years.
Feb. 15-tf

A FRESH SUPPLY OF EXCELSIOR, (Saratoga) Water expected Thursday, at
Feb 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON'S.

Office W. C. & Ruth. R. R. Co.,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 12, 1869.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of this Company will be held in Wilmington on Thursday, April 15th, 1869, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to consider certain amendments proposed to the Charter of the Company by the General Assembly of North Carolina, now in session.

A printed copy of the bill proposing said amendments will be forwarded to each stockholder.

Transfer Books will be closed on the 15th day of March.

By order of the Board of Directors:
I. T. ALDERMAN,
Feb. 15 2awtd Secretary.

WANTED.—A COACH BODY MAKER. Apply to
G. T. MOORE,
Rocky Mount,
Feb 16-3td Edgecombe Co., N. C.

WANTED.—A MULE, NOT LESS THAN 10 years old, and not more than 13 years old, blind in both eyes, large in size. Apply next door to "Sentinel" office.
Feb. 20-tf

CARPET WARP! CARPET WARP!

Cotton Warp for Carpets, ALREADY DYED and READY FOR USE.
ROPE! ROPE!! ROPE!!!
WRAPPING TWINE,
CORDAGE, &c.
Dec. 1 THOS. H. BRIGGS.

FOR SALE,

Pure N. C. FRENCH BRANDY, made from the Scuppernong Wine, for medicinal purposes.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
Jan 13-tf Auc'rs & Com. Merchants.

NEW RESTAURANT.

MARTIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS ELEGANTLY fitted up and furnished this house, and it is now ready for the

Accommodation of the Public,

which will at all times be supplied with the

BEST VIANDS

this and foreign markets afford.

SPECIAL ROOMS

will always be kept in readiness for private parties.
Feb 8-3m A. W. WRAPS.

Piano Tuning and Repairing.

W. H. VAUGHN, PRACTICAL TUNER and Repairer of Pianos, will attend to any orders addressed to him, at Raleigh. He is known in this City, and all work done by him is warranted to give satisfaction.
Feb 15-1m*

LIFE INSURANCE.

The Most Vigorous and the Most Liberal Insurance Company in the Country.

BROOKLYN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

141 Broadway, N. Y.

ASSETS OVER

$1,000,000!

CHRISTIAN W. BOUCK.....*President.*
ABRAM D. POLHEMUS.....*Vice President.*
WILLIAM M. COLE.....*Secretary.*
D. P. FACKLER.....*Consulting Actuary.*
DANIEL AYRES, M. D., LL.D. *Med. Examiner.*

POLICIES ISSUED AS GOOD AS UNITED STATES BONDS.

POLICIES VALUABLE IN LIFE AS AT DEATH!

The BROOKLYN LIFE is the only Company in the country which guaranties a definite surrender-value to every Policy on which two or more annual premiums have been paid; this amount, in dollars and cents, is endorsed on every Policy issued, should any Policy-holder become unable to pay his premiums, he can thus know the cash worth of the Policy at any time after two annual premiums have been paid.

This certainly is the greatest inducement and most tangible advantage ever accorded to parties insuring their lives.

Among the advantages offered by the BROOKLYN, which thoroughly evince the determination of the officers to make it the MOST LIBERAL Life Insurance Company in the United States, are:

1st. TOTAL REMOVAL OF ALL RESTRICTIONS ON TRAVEL AND RESIDENCE. The Assured may travel or reside anywhere they choose, the world over, without extra premium or special permit.

2d. A Loan of one-third of the Premium to the Policy-Holder Annually.

3d. All Policies are non-forfeitable after two full annual premiums have been paid.

4th. Rates as low as are consistent with financial soundness, and less than those of almost all Companies which accommodate their assured with loans.

5th. Dividends annually (after second year) in cash. Dividends are divided on the CONTRIBUTION PLAN—the only equitable manner of divising the earnings of a Life Insurance Company. The Contribution Plan was first conceived by Mr. D. P. Fackler, now Actuary of this Company, and has been adopted by most of the best managed Life Companies in this country.

The BROOKLYN LIFE has paid and now pays to its Policy-holders LARGER DIVIDENDS than ever before paid by a Life Insurance Company!

6th. Prompt in paying losses.

7th. No charge for policy or stamp.

The success which the "BROOKLYN" has achieved, fully exemplified in its rapid and healthful growth, is a convincing proof of the confidence reposed by the public in its soundness, integrity and liberality.

A. W. LAWRENCE, Raleigh,
GENERAL AGENT FOR NORTH CAROLINA.
Dec. 18-3m

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

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THE SENTINEL.

JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1869.

FANCY'S SECESH COLT—NOW A FULL GROWN RADICAL STALLION.

Little John Neathery, of Gen. Gatlin's staff, and Editor of the *Conservative*, who so rudely and justly abused Governor Holden, during the war, now abuses us just as he abused Holden. He calls us a "coward," "a bully," "who assails the weak and the absent," (meaning General Littlefield and Judge Alden,) "he never assails a man that would resent an insult," &c., &c. Such is John's talk in Littlefield's paper, the *Standard*.

Now, John, we know we are not a bully; as to being a coward, we say, we have never had our pluck sufficiently tried, for we are emphatically a man of peace, and a lover of peace. We opposed the Mexican war; we opposed the late war, in its inception; we never, as man or boy, had but four fights in all our life, and then we fought for our friends, and not for ourselves.

When about thirteen years of age, we saw Jim Wammock, a large boy, whipping Ed. Heartt, a small boy. Ed. was the son of that good old man, our neighbor, Dennis Heartt, late of the Hillsboro' *Recorder*. We joined our forces with Ed, and whipped Jim, well. What the fight was about we don't know. It was enough for us, our friend was in, and we assisted.

Our next fight was for our friends, and about the same time. Shepherd Nash, Randal and William McCollum, James Turner and Dick Parish and some dozen others were in swimming, and for their amusement, they drove Dr. Fadda's geese in the water; the play had much the effect upon the geese, that the sport of boys once had upon frogs. The Doctor's nephew, a grown boy, coming upon these lads and geese, broke a bundle of switches from a neighboring tree, with which to whip the boys for worrying the geese. He piled their clothes together, and as the little fellows came up, he whipped them well. After whipping about half of the boys, they all became exasperated and seized upon the grown boy, and threw him to the ground. Two sat on his right arm, two on his left, and, three on each of his legs; with our hands in his hair, we held his head to the ground, while the ballance of the little naked boys whipped him well.—Bear in mind, John, we were not after the geese or in the water, we were sitting on the bank.

Our next battle was four years after the goose fight. One of our friends began the fight, and we took part in it; this was a bloody affair, but no one was killed.

Our last fight was made by Gov. Holden & Co., in 1861. John, you know we did our best to keep out of it, and to avoid and avert it. We appeal to the records of the country, John, to vindicate our character for peace. Lincoln was elected in November, 1860; the Legislature of North Carolina convened the 3d Monday of the same month; we offered resolutions in the Senate, declaring it the duty of the people of North Carolina to submit to the election of Lincoln. We thought the people should have submitted, but the hearts of the people had been fired against Lincoln by Holden, and they listened to him rather than to us.

In February, 1861, we voted at the polls against a Convention to secede; Governor Holden voted at the polls for Convention, and argued for it in his paper.

In 1861, we made ourselves obnoxious by refusing to vote thanks to Governor Ellis for his proclamation calling out 30,000 troops, &c. The loyal Victor Barringer, and the loyal Senator Winstead voted for the thanks.

On the 7th day of January, 1861, when we knew there was a plan on foot to seize the United States forts in North Carolina, we offered resolutions in the Senate to inquire into the matter. The loyal Victor Barringer, of the Code Commission, and the loyal Senator from Person, would not vote for our resolution of inquiry.

In January, 1861, when the United States forts in North Carolina were seized by the State troops, we offered resolutions in the Senate condemning the act. Many who now set themselves up for loyal, refused to vote with us.

In February, 1861, we offered resolutions in the Senate, calling on President Buchanan to execute the laws in Charleston, and avowed our purpose, in a speech, to assist in the work. Horace Greely, at that time, was crying out, in "God's name, let the South depart in peace;" now, I am to be called traitor while Horace is glorified as a Union saint. Even Gen. Scott was saying, "wayward sisters, depart in peace." Events hasten, one upon another, too numerous for us here to enumerate. Governor Holden had educated the majority of the people to believe in secession, and we could not make them listen to us. The spark which Gov. Holden had been blowing for twenty years, kindled into a flame. The fight begins, and our friends are involved; we went in to their assistance, just as we had done on three former occasions; we got into but one fight and were soon shut out of that, and for three or four hours apparently out of the "gates of life." This fight was no more a trial upon our courage, than it would be for our neighbor Tim Lee, the Sheriff, to call on us with a posse to arrest a band of carpet baggers for plundering and stealing; we should go without fear or trembling. So, we went in Jones county on horse back after more than twice our number of carpet-baggers. We followed them for a whole day and half a night; as we rode after them, women and children came out telling us the Yankees had stolen their bibles, their husbands' razors, their cows, their horses and wagons, their cars, their potatoes, their everything—and we followed, John, with the identical same feeling that we would Tom Lee, and his posse; we came up to them at midnight, and by the stupidity of a little West Pointer, who led us into the fight, we got whipped—and this was our last fight.

Now, John, this is not the record of a bully, nor is it sufficient to give us character either as a man of courage, or a coward.

John, don't let Holden make a fool of you, because he got you the position you now hold, as Littlefield's Editor. How does it happen you make none of your blackguard assaults upon us, only when we touch your "beloved Governor," on his profanity, or on his advertising for the head of Abe Lincoln? John, when the Judges and the Attorney General, and the Code Commissioners, all write for your paper, you should make it more decent and less abusive.—Directly, you will have no more character than the Governor, and a shake even of Vance's hand will not make you "feel like a gentleman."

THAT WATCH.

The Senate presented its President, the Lieutenant Governor, with a gold watch, for the "dignity, ability and impartiality," he had shown as an officer.

This was done early in the session, which made it ill-timed and out of season?

Where was the ability?

He had ruled, that the Howard Amendment was in force in North Carolina, as a part of the Constitution of the United States, before three-fourths of the States had adopted it, and before Congress had so declared it.

He refused to allow the Senator elect from Orange to nominate a white man for Doorkeeper of the Senate, when other Senators were allowed to nominate negroes.

Call you this "ability, impartiality," or even "equality before the law." Refusing to allow the Senator elect from Orange to nominate a white man, against the negro already in nomination, he allows the Senator from Rowan to make the motion for the Senator from Orange. When a carpet-bagger objected, and asked how could a Senator make a motion for one who was not a member of the body? he acknowledged his error, and Willie D. Jones, of Wake, nominated the white man, and then voted for the negro.

He kept members, elected as he was, under the same Constitution and laws, and holding the same certificate of election that he held himself, from taking their seats—and all this, before the watch was given!

It is true, his buffoonry announcing the "sweetnin Committee," and suggesting that Senators "keep hands off of cook's," come after the watch. The old proverb is, "praise a fair day at night." The moral from this, would be, "hands, present your watch (if at all,) at the close of the session." But we insist that the watch was forfeited on Wednesday last, when the previous question was called. The bosom friends of the Speaker, Senator Barrow and Senator Forkner, were allowed to explain their votes. Senators Robbins and Love were not allowed to explain theirs. When Senator Robbins complained, that such privilege had been allowed others, and such had been the custom of the Senate and the ruling of the President, Mas Tod could only reply, "then the Chair had been in error heretofore, and it was time to correct it." If the Supreme Court had not declined to give opinions to the Legislature on outside questions, we would seek for their opinion, to wit: Does such behavior work a forfeiture of the watch?

When Judge Watts returns from his circuit, we will try him for "the best he has in the shop," on this question of forfeiture. He don't mind giving an outside opinion, or adjourning Court on Thursday, just as the Grand Jury make presentments against the Editor of the *Standard* for corruption and before the prosecuting Attorney could draw bills of indictment.

CARPET-BAGGER SNUBBED.

Pilgrim Ashley, for several days, has, to the annoyance of Senators, taken a most conspicuous seat on the floor of the Senate. Senator Lindsay, of Rockingham, whom they say, is actually an honest Radical, was annoyed by the Pilgrim's presence. So, he abated the nuisance by making a few well-timed remarks, in the Senate, on Wednesday, to this effect:

"Much has been said, Mr. Speaker, of the President of the third branch of the Legislature, who usually occupies the lobby to carry through his measures and schemes, [Littlefield, Editor of the *Standard*,] but, to-day, we have another President of the third branch, who is more familiar than the first President. He takes his seat among Senators, on the floor, to instruct them how to vote. He wished to know if the Senate could not perfect and complete its work without the supervision of a guardian."

Senator Welker replied that Mr. Ashley, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, had taken his seat on the floor of the Senate by invitation from him, and he thought such remarks very unkind. Go home, Pilgrim.

HEROIC.—During the recent robbery perpetrated on Mr. Ezra Thomas, living in Brunswick, eight or ten miles below this city, his daughter, Miss Susan D., proved herself quite a heroine. She seized a repeater, stepped to the door, took aim and was about to fire, when she was temporarily restrained by the fear of shooting her father or mother, whom it was at that time impossible to distinguish from the robbers, as all were struggling together. The fearless girl, only fourteen years of age, stood exposed to all the dangers of an attack on herself, and when an opportunity offered, she availed herself of it, by discharging a shot at one of the boldest villains, who immediately ran, followed by his comrades.—Carolina chivalry extends even to her fair daughters.—*Wil. Star.*

SUICIDE.—We learn that Mr. Jonathan Penley living near Piedmont Springs, in this county, committed suicide last Saturday morning, by shooting himself. He placed the muzzle of the gun under his chin, and fired it by touching the trigger with a stick of wood. He was aged 60 years. We have not learned the cause of the act.—*Morganton Press.*

Legislature of North Carolina.

SENATE.

THURSDAY, Feb. 25, 1869.

The Senate was called to order at the usual hour.

PETITION.

Mr. Jones, of Wake, presented a petition from the Commissioners of the City of Raleigh, describing certain lots within the corporate limits of the City, belonging to the State, praying the General Assembly to grant them to said city, in order to improve and make them profitable. Referred to the Committee on Buildings and Grounds.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Smith, from the Committee on Propositions and Grievances, reported favorably on the bill to establish the County line between Alamance and Chatham.

Mr. Barrow from the Committee on Conference, recommend that the Senate recede from its amendment to the bill to amend title 68 of the Code of Civil Procedure. Concurred in.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

By Mr. Winsted: A bill authorizing the construction of a Railroad from some point on the Raleigh and Gaston Road to Mount Airy, Surry county. Referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

By J. A. Hyman, colored: A bill authorizing the Commissioners of Warren County to levy a special tax for the purpose of erecting a Poor House. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Jones, of Wake: A bill to enable the Chatham Railroad Company to complete its Road. [Authorizes said Company to borrow money.] Referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

Mr. Winstead presented the credentials of Mr. A. J. Jones, Senator elect of the 14th Senatorial District, and moved that the Senator elect be allowed to come forward and be qualified.

Mr. Barrow moved that his credentials be referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections with instructions to report as soon as convenient. Considerable debate arose on this question, and finally the motion to refer prevailed.

Mr. Barrow introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That during the remainder of this session no Senator shall receive pay for the time he is absent from service in the Senate, unless such absence be caused by sickness of himself, some member of his family, or business of the Senate.

Mr. Shoffner, moved that it be indefinitely postponed. Lost.

AYES.—Messrs. Respass, Shoffner and Welker—3.

Mr. Forkner moved to amend. *Provided*, that those who have not had leave of absence may be entitled to pay by getting leave of absence.

Mr. Robbins said he did not like the form of the resolution, he thought it should be made concurrent so as to operate alike on both branches of the General Assembly, he thought that would be the only proper course to pursue, and hoped it would be amended accordingly.

A. H. Galloway, colored, moved to lay the whole matter on the table.

AYES.—Messrs. Beeman, Beasley, Bellamy, Eaves, Galloway, colored, Harrington, Hyman, colored, Respass, Shoffner, Smith, Stephens, Sweet and Welker, 13. Lost.

Messrs. Beeman and Beasley, changed their votes to the negative.

Mr. Shoffner moved to postpone its further consideration until the 1st of April.—Lost.

Ayes 13, nays, 13, the President voted in the negative.

Mr. Sweet moved to amend by making it a concurrent resolution.

The President ruled it out of order as there was an amendment pending.

Mr. Fookner, by request, withdrew his amendment, pending the consideration of the substitute offered by Mr. Sweet, the hour arrived for the consideration of unfinished business.

Mr. Love moved to postpone the unfinished business until this question is disposed of, which was lost.

Mr. Sweet, by leave, made the following report from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, to wit:

Having had the credentials of A. J. Jones, Senator elect from the 14th Senatorial District, under consideration, report that they find Mr. Jones was a member of the General Assembly before the late rebellion, but neither held office during the rebellion nor gave aid and comfort to the same. It appears from the credentials that Mr. Jones received a majority of all the votes given at the special election held in the 14th District. W. H. S. SWEET.

Mr. Graham stated that, as a member of the Committee, he had moved that the chairman report the facts, that Mr. Jones had held office before the war *but that there was no evidence before the Committee*, that he had participated in the rebellion. The Chairman, no doubt, thinks his report amounts to the same thing, but I am unwilling to say that Mr. Jones did or did not participate in the war, as I know nothing in regard to his conduct. I do not expect to oppose his admission, but desire to state the action of the Committee as I understood it.

Mr. Lindsay said that it appeared that the Senator elect was a member of the Legislature before the war, and as such, it is natural to suppose that he is a prominent man in his section of the State, and the presumption is, no evidence appearing to the contrary, that he did take part in the rebellion. There had been a great deal of zeal manifested in the Senate, heretofore, to carry out strictly the provisions of the Howard amendment, and he thought it should apply to this case as well as to others. Why this hasty report? Why not take time, and consider this matter thoroughly and prevent a repetition of difficulties as in the case of the Senator (Mr. Purdie) from the same District. The Committee have reported that there is no evidence before them calculated to disqualify him. Of course not, sir, do you suppose the Senator elect would bring evidence here committing himself as to his having engaged in the rebellion. The idea is absurd. The whole matter should be recommitted.

Mr. Shoffner moved the report be concurred in.

Mr. Beeman called the previous question which was sustained, and the report was accepted.

Mr. Robbins asked the Chairman of the Committee (Mr. Sweet) if the question was asked the Senator elect *if he was a member of the home guards?*

Mr. Sweet replied that it was, and his reply was that he did not handle a musket or gun of any kind in the cause of the rebellion, cuss it and dam it. When

On motion of Mr. Jones, of Wake, the Senator came forward and was qualified.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Act to provide for a system of Public Instruction, question, motion of Mr. Lindsay to strike out the following section to-wit: "Section 33. The maximum rate of tax, levied by a Township or County, for building and furnishing purposes, shall not exceed thirty five cents on each one hundred dollars taxable property, and the maximum rate levied for special school purposes, shall not exceed fifteen cents on each one hundred dollars in any one year, and insert the following: "No tax shall be levied on property of a Township or County, for building or furnishing purposes. But a sufficient amount of the poll tax may be appropriated to that object, and the maximum rate levied for special school purposes shall not exceed fifteen cents on each one hundred dollars of taxable property, in any one year.

A division of the question was called and sustained, the section was stricken out, and the Senate refused to insert the substitute.

NAYS.—Messrs. Bowman, Bellamy, Burns, Byttine, Colgrove, Davis, Eppes, colored, Forkner, Galloway, colored, Harrington, Hyman, colored, Jones, of Columbus, Jones, of Wake, Martindale, Moore, of Carteret, Respass, Shoffner, Smith, Stephens, Sweet, Welker and White, 22.

Numerous amendments were offered to the 34th section, the debate which was continued at length, rambled back to the causes and results of the late war, the Senate finally adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THURSDAY, Feb. 25, 1868.

House called to order at the usual hour. Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Long, of Chatham, of the House.

Journal, of yesterday, read and approved.

Leaves of absence were granted to Messrs. Harris, of Franklin, Stanton, Waldrop and Ames.

Mr. Ingram presented the report of the Commissioners of Anson County. Referred.

Mr. Hawkins, from the Committee on Enrolment, reported the following bills, as being correctly enrolled, to-wit:

Bill in favor of W. A. Phillpot, of Granville County, and Jno. A. Harris, of Person County.

Bill to incorporate the Raleigh Cemetery Association.

Bill to renew the Charter of the Richmond Manufacturing Co.

On motion of J. H. Harris, of Wake, colored, the rules were suspended, and the bill "to enable the City of Raleigh to issue bonds," was taken up, and passed its third reading, by a vote of yeas 67, nays 2.

J. W. Leary, colored, from the Committee on Corporations, reported favorably upon the bill to incorporate the Cape Fear Steam Express Company, with amendment.

The bill was placed upon the Calendar.

By J. H. Harris, of Wake, colored, a resolution, concerning the several Sheriffs of the State.

On motion, the rules were suspended.

Mr. Malone moved to lay the resolution on the table.

No quorum voted, and the resolution went over under the rules.

On motion of Mr. Wilkie, the rules were suspended, and the bill to authorize the Commissioners of Jones County to levy a special tax, was taken up and passed its second reading by a vote of yeas 72, nays none.

By Mr. Barnett: A bill to incorporate the town of Ridgeway. Referred.

By Mr. Franklin: A bill making it a misdemeanor to refuse to work on the public roads. Referred.

A message was received from the Senate, announcing Messrs. Welker, Love and Burns, as the Senate branch of the Committee, to consider the erection of a State Prison.

Another message was received from the same body, concurring in the House amendments, to Senate bill, in favor of W. J. Hicks, late Sheriff of Wilkes County; also, concurring in the House amendments in the Senate bill, incorporating the Yellow Mountain Bridge Co.

Another message was received from the same body, receding from their amendment to the bill to amend Title 67, Code of Civil Procedure.

The hour for the Special Order was announced, to-wit:

The bill in relation to laying off the Homestead and personal property exemption.

On motion of Mr. Seymour, the House then went into Committee of the Whole.

Mr. Malone took the Chair.

A long debate ensued, upon a substitute offered by Mr. Moore, of Chowan, for Section 1, 2, 3 and 13 of the bill.

Pending any definite action, Mr. Pou moved that the Committee arise, report progress, and ask leave to sit again.

Mr. Malone then took the floor, and reported progress.

Mr. French moved to concur in the report of the Committee.

Pending the adoption of the above motion the House, on motion of Mr. Seymour, adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

NOTE.—Messrs. Painter, Pershee, Jarvis and Sweat, colored, should have been reported yesterday as having their votes recorded in the negative, on the revenue bill, instead of the affirmative as appeared in yesterday's proceedings.

SUPREME COURT.

Opinions delivered as follows:

BY PEARSON, C. J.: In Stevenson vs Todd, Pugh & Co., from Northampton, "so much of the order as allows defendant to enter appearance and plead without giving bail, is affirmed—so much as directs the judgments against the garnishees to be set aside, is affirmed—so much as directs the money collected from the garnishees to be paid to the defendants, is reversed—and it is ordered that the money be paid back to the garnishees respectively." In Matheson vs. James, from Alexander, no error, affirmed. In Hurdle vs. Leable, from Caswell, referred to Clerk. In Fulton vs. Loftis, from Henderson, bill dismissed without costs to the defendant Loftis. In Banks vs. Johnston, from Yancy, bill dismissed.

BY READE, J.: In Fleming vs. Fleming, from Pitt, no error. In Lassiter vs. Wood, from Perquimans, declaring rights. In Britton vs. Miller, from Bertie, reference to Clerk if desired—cause stands for further directions. In Allen vs. Plummer, from Halifax, no error. In Sloan vs. Coble, from Guilford, account to be referred and decree according to opinion. In Worthy vs. Barrett, from Moore, petition dismissed. In the matter of W. L. Tate, Esq., Solicitor elect of the 12th Judicial District, mandamus refused—petition dismissed with costs.

BY DICK, J.: In Addington vs. McDaniel, from Macon, bill dismissed. In the Cape Fear and Deep River Navigation Company vs. Costen, from Chatham, judgment affirmed. In Dunn vs. Nichols, from Wake, judgment affirmed. In Marsh vs. Williams, from Beaufort, judgment affirmed. In Webb vs. Boyle, from Bertie, interlocutory order reversed.

BY SETTLE, J.: In Palmer vs. Anderson, from Caldwell, *venire de novo*. In Woods vs. Parker, from Lenoir, biddings must be re-opened upon the terms of the former decree.

THIEVING IN JONES COUNTY.—The store of J. B. Read, in Pollocksville, was entered by burglars Monday night, and a pocket book, containing $700 in money, notes and county vouchers, all the money in the drawers, and other property, stolen. The thieves effected an entrance by prying off the lock of the door.—*Newbern Times.*

We learn with pleasure that it is the intention of certain parties to start several new styles of business in this place. We will welcome them. Just here we will state a sad want—houses are badly needed here; a little capital and energy could be invested to much advantage, we think.—*Weldon News.*

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By virtue of said decree, I shall sell, at the same time and place, FOUR several LOTS, lying in the said City of Raleigh together with the improvements thereon. These lots have each comfortable residences on them, together with the necessary out-houses and are situated near the intersection of Martin and Blount Streets, fronting on the North side of Martin and West side of Blount Streets, in the aggregate, 210 feet on the former, and 150 feet on the latter Street, one of them being a corner lot. These lots will be sold subject to the leases on each, which will expire on the 1st day of January, 1870.

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Feb. 25-td WM. H. BAGLEY, Commissioner.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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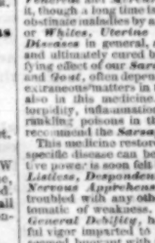

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To the People of the Southern States.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3, 1868.

When the pure medicinal restorative, now so widely known as Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps, was introduced into the world under the endorsement of four thousand leading members of the medical profession some 20 years ago, its proprietor was well aware that it could not wholly escape the penalty attached to all new and useful preparations. He, therefore, endeavored to invest it with strongest possible safeguard against counterfeiters, and to render all attempts to pirate it difficult and dangerous. It was submitted to distinguished chemists for analysis, and pronounced by them the purest spirit ever manufactured. Its purity and properties having been thus ascertained, samples of the article were forwarded to ten thousand physicians, including all the leading practitioners in the United States, for purposes of experiment. A circular, requesting a trial of the preparation and a report of the result, accompanied each specimen. Four thousand of the most eminent medical men in the Union promptly responded. Their opinions of the article were unanimously favorable. Such a preparation, they said, had long been wanted by the profession, as no reliance could be placed on the ordinary liquors of commerce, all of which were more or less adulterated, and therefore unfit for medical purposes. The peculiar excellence and strength of the oil of juniper, which formed one of the principal ingredients of the Schnapps, together with an unadulterated character of the alcoholic element, give it, in the estimation of the faculty, a marked superiority over every other diuretic stimulant as a domestic, tonic and restorative.

The so satisfactory credentials from professional men of the highest rank were published in a condensed form, and enclosed with each bottle of the Schnapps, as one of the guarantees of its genuineness. Other precautions against fraud were also adopted; a portrait was obtained for the article, the label was copyrighted, a *fac simile* of the proprietor's autograph signature was attached to each label and cover, his name and that of the preparation were embossed on the bottles, and the corks were sealed with his private seal. No article had ever been sold in this country under the name of Schnapps prior to the introduction of Wolfe's Schiedam Schnapps, in 1851; and the proprietor was the first who fixed a trade mark, in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York during that year.

It might be supposed by persons unacquainted with the daring character of the pirates who prey upon the reputation of honorable merchants by vending deleterious trash under their name, that the protections so carefully thrown around these Schnapps would have provoked the mischievous and base of counterfeits. But, we never once have we had to complain of the ingenuity of imposters. The result has been that the confidence which has been shown in the improvement which his Schiedam Aromatic Schnapps alone received from the medical profession has been claimed by innumerable humbugs; his labels and bottles have been imitated, his advertisements paraphrased, his circulars copied, and worse than all, dishonest retailers, after disposing of the genuine contents of the bottles, have filled them up with common gin, and thus fooled consumers out of liquor, and thus made his name and brand a cover for poison.

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PRYER'S band enlivened Tucker's Hall, Wednesday night, with several well executed pieces of music.

Judge Rodman's opinion, in the matter of Galloway *vs.* Jenkins and the Chatham Road, appears to-day. We shall publish the opinion of the other Judges, as a matter of reference and interest.

TUCKER HALL, Wednesday night, was filled to its utmost capacity, to witness the Pantomimes, by a number of the pupils attached to the Institution for the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind. We think we utter the sentiment of the audience, when we assert that the two Pantomimes, Simon's Mishaps and The Schoolmaster, were rendered in a style, worthy of the best trained theatricals.

The exhibition of the paintings, dissolving views, photographic views, &c., was as perfect as art could make them; and much credit is due Mr. Willie J. Palmer, Principal of the Institution, for this amusing entertainment.

GIRAFFE, No. 4, made its appearance yesterday, lively, gay and saucy. That *cut* at the $20 lawyers is a pretty good hit—hit 'em again, Barnum, the son—no, not son, but namesake of the immortal *Phineas*.

THE PRICE OF SUGAR.—The revolution in Cuba has materially affected the price of Sugar, already; the probabilities are, that a still farther advance will take place, if the Cuban difficulties are not speedily brought to a close. We can see no reason, however, for a panic, while the supply of the article already on hand, will suffice for all practicable purposes, until our people can make their own Sugar, and molasses, and this they can do. That excellent Sugar may be made from sorghum, is no longer a question of doubt. We have seen specimens exhibited by Mr. Wm. F. Beasley, of Tarboro,' who is the Agent for Weller & Hatcher's patented process, and the sample was very fine. Mr. Beasley will sell county rights, and our farmers ought at once to address him on the subject. We can make our own Sugar at a cost of six cents per pound—let us do it.

We find the following article in the Richmond *Examiner* of Wednesday. The parties are not known in this City, although one of them bears the name of one of our most valuable citizens. Our John is here, all right, and was present, and enjoyed the exhibition at Tucker Hall, Wednesday night:

"Night before last, two men, one of them calling himself John G. Williams, of Williamston, Martin county, N. C., the other claiming to be a native of Troy, N. Y., put up at Mrs. Blevin's boarding house, corner of Franklin street and Locust ally. Williams professed to have been a Confederate soldier. He appears to be a shrewd fellow, and writes an excellent business hand.

The appearance and conduct of these men excited the suspicions of detective Knox, but he had no grounds to arrest them.

Yesterday morning, while the boarders were at breakfast, a gold watch, valued at $140, was stolen from the room of Mr. Grubbs, a student at the Medical College, and there is no doubt that the theft was perpetrated by one of the lodgers.

Williams was arrested, but his companion escaped. Detective Knox, however, succeeded yesterday afternoon in finding and arresting Williams's accomplice. His name is Alexander Brown alias John Affzen. He was locked up for examination."

DIFFICULTY.—Last Saturday evening in Fayetteville, occurred a difficulty between Messrs. Jesse K. Kyle and John Sykes. The particulars we have learned from boat passengers who were cognizant of every circumstance. Mr. Kyle was being shaved in a shaving saloon, and Mr. Sykes entered, and carelessly jostled against the barber's arm, a piece of carelessness calculated to place Mr. Kyle's face in jeopardy, and, also to accentuate his remonstrance, if not to arouse his anger. He politely, yet firmly, insisted upon Mr. Sykes conducting himself more gentlemanly, and word followed word, until a difficulty ensued—a difficulty that resulted seriously to both parties. Mr. K. was cut with a sharp pocket knife, both in the neck and in the cheek, the latter wound proving deep and painful; while Mr. S. was several times knocked down, both with a chair and by his adversary's fist. The combatants were finally seperated, or rather Mr. Kyle was by his friends, prevented from beating his opponent more than was considered sufficient to avenge himself. Neither party is mortally injured. —*Wil. Star.*

FAILED TO MAKE THE TRIP.—We learn that on Saturday last, Ham and Hurley, two members of the chain gang, confined in our county jail, made an unsuccessful attempt to facilitate their escape. It seems that, having in view to get away from the guard, they had broken the iron shackles, by which the ball and chain is attached to their legs, expecting to kick them off their feet, when out at work and thus make good their escape.—*Goldsboro' Messenger.*

OPINION OF JUDGE RODMAN IN THE MATTER OF GALLOWAY *vs.* JENKINS, PUBLIC TREASURER, AND THE CHATHAM RAILROAD COMPANY.

The nature of this case has been so fully stated in the opinion of the Chief Justice, that I may enter in medias res, without making any useless repetition. It was admitted by the Counsel, who argued this case on both sides with unusual ability, that the plaintiff, as a tax payer, was entitled to appear in Court and ask for the relief which he demanded, if he could make a case entitle him to it, and that the case was properly in Court. I think these admissions were properly made, and shall enter into no discussion of that part of the case.

The material question is, whether that part of an act of the General Assembly ratified on 18th of December, 1868, which relates to the Chatham Railroad Company, (sections 4, 5, 6, 7,) taken in connection with the act of which it is amendatory, violates section 5 of art. 5, of the Constitution of the State, and transcends the constitutional power of the General Assembly.

In any argument on this subject, it must be admitted that the power of the Legislature, over the subject, is supreme unless restricted by the article of the Constitution cited. It must, also, be admitted, that the article of the Constitution meant *something*, that it was intended to operate as some restriction of the legislative power, and was not entirely a dead letter, and that it must have the full force which its words fairly and reasonably import.

Section 5 is divided, by its subject, into two independent clauses, and might well have been put into two sections. The first clause, (omitting the exceptions which in this are immaterial,) says, "until the bonds of the State shall be at par, the General Assembly shall have no power to contract any new debt or pecuniary obligation in behalf of the State," unless it shall, in the same bill, levy a special tax to pay the interest annually. The requisition to levy a tax has been complied with in the act under consideration, and no question can arise upon this clause.

The second clause then begins; it is connected with the former clause by the conjunctive "and," but it imposes a new and independent additional restriction on the legislative power. The effect of the word "and" is simply to say, as an additional restriction. The additional restriction is superadded in certain special cases to the former general one. In *no case* (omitting the exception) could the General Assembly contract a new debt without imposing a tax. But there is a class of cases in which the Legislature is forbidden to contract a new debt in behalf of the State, even if the State bonds are at par, or a tax to pay the interest be imposed without submitting to a vote of the people. That class is provided for in the second clause of section 5. "And the General Assembly have no power to give or lend the credit of the State in aid of any person, association, or corporation (except to aid in the completion of such Railroads as may be unfinished at the time of the adoption of this Constitution, or in which the State has a direct pecuniary interest) unless the subject be submitted to a direct vote of the people of the State, and be approved by a majority of those who shall vote thereon." For the purposes of the present argument, the words in brackets may be omitted; for it is, or must be admitted, that the words "provided for," in the Act of 18th December, 1868, is neither an unfinished Road or one in which the State had, at the adoption of the Constitution, "a direct pecuniary interest."

The Chatham Railroad, between the termini and the route established by previous legislation, was an unfinished Road, in the legislative meaning of the phrase; but the Road which was to start from one of the termini of the Chatham Road, or from some point on it, and run thence to Cheraw, was a Road which was unfinished, in the sense that it had never been begun, but not in the sense contemplated by the Constitution, which meant only to include those roads which had been begun, but were unfinished at its adoption. We are obliged to give this meaning to that phrase in the Constitution, as any other construction would render it totally ineffective, and defeat any policy which it may be supposed it was intended to enforce.

The question then is reduced to this, does the Act of 18th, Dec. 1868, "give or lend the credit of the State in aid" of the Chatham Railroad Company or any other person, association or corporation? If it does it, is prohibited by that clause of the Constitution above cited, which this Court is bound to obey as the paramount law.—The question being reduced to these brief dimensions, it seems to me, with all respect for my learned brothers who have come to a different conclusion, that the answer can scarcely be doubtful. Waiving all discussion as to the lexicographical or technical and legal meaning of the word "give," as to whether it includes both a grant, with and without valuable consideration, it seems to me to be clear, that the words "give or lend" were intended to include every mode in which the State could render its aid to a Railroad Company by means of its credit. It would be scarcely respectful to the intelligence of the Convention of 1868, to suppose that they intended to forbid the Legislature from giving the credit of the State without consideration, and yet to allow them to do it on the consideration of a pepper corn, of a certain number of shares of stock of a purely nominal value. It is said that statute of uses enacted with great care by the English Parliament, had no other effect than to add three words to a conveyance. That was because the Judges were determined to defeat the law. But we can come to the consideration of this question in no such spirit, and with no such purpose. Our duty is to give to the clause of the Constitution the effect which its words plainly import, and not to filter them into a nullity by hypercritical refinement.—The construction which I give to this clause makes it mean something; any other construction in my opinion makes it mean nothing. Indeed, I do not know how its meaning could have been more clearly expressed. Had it said as the Constitution of Ohio does, "shall not in any manner give or lend its credit, &c" would it have been more expressive or exhaustive of every mode than the present phraseology, than shall not.

Would this prohibition be made more forcible by adding in any ways? Assuming the meaning of the word "give" to be what is here contended for, does the State give its credit in aid of the Chatham Railroad Company, by giving its bonds for stock to be sold by the Company, to raise funds to build the road? The bonds were the credit of the State, and for what purpose could they have been given except to aid the Company to build the road described in the act?

These considerations compel me to the opinion that the act of the Legislature is in violation of the Constitutional restriction cited, and can, therefore, have no force, until submitted to and sanctioned by a vote of the people.

In the view which I have taken of Section 5, Art. 5 of the Constitution, it is quite immaterial in reference to the act under consideration, whether the bonds of the State are at par or not. The Legislature cannot (even if the bonds are at par) give or lend the credit of the State, in aid, &c., without submitting the question to the people.

This view renders it unnecessary to consider a question discussed at the bar as to the validity of a debt contracted by the Legislature, within the first clause of section 5, and not within the exceptions without laying a special tax to pay the interest. If, for example, the Legislature should contract with some person to build a State House for $100,000, or any other sum, and should issue bonds to him for that sum in payment, without levying a special tax to meet the interest, and if the contractor should, in his contract, agree to receive the bonds at par, and it should be so set out and provided in the act, would such an act be constitutional? Would the fact that the bonds were declared, in this particular case, to be, and to be recieved, at par, be a substantial fulfilment of the Constitutional condition precedent?

A short discussion of this question in reference to the case in question will not be without value. What does the Constitution mean, when it says until the bond of the State shall be at par; at par with what? It can only mean, at par with gold and silver, or with the legal tender notes of the United States. It cannot mean at par with the work of the contractor, or at par with any piece of land or other property which the State might think proper to buy, because the value of these things are uncertain and rest only in opinion and agreement. Such a construction would deprive the words "at par" of all definite meaning. Gold and silver (or their legal equivalent) are the only standards of pecuniary value, and are the only standards by which the value of the State bonds must be measured. If then in the case supposed, the State should undertake to pay the contractor in State bonds, it would render it impossible to ascertain whether or not the bonds were at par. In such a case the bonds would not be at par, in the sense of the Constitution, and no legislative declaration, and no agreement in the contract could make them so, so long as it appeared that they were parted with for a thing of uncertain and unascertainable value. It is a matter of no consequence in the construction of this section of the Constitution what the bonds of the State ordinarily sell for in the money markets of the world; no Court can ever be called on to say whether at the ratification of a certain Act of Assembly, they were worth 99 cents or 100. The test in every case must be whether on the particular bonds, issued under the circumstances supposed, the State actually received in legal money the sum which she became liable to pay. In no other way than by the conversion of the bonds into money, can it be ascertained that they are at par, and in no other way can the policy of the Constitution be effected.

These considerations are responsive to some portions of the argument which has been addressed to the Court, but in the view that I take of it they are not necessary to this case.

I have not considered, at all, the policy of the act of 18th December, 1868. With that question I have nothing to do. I feel bound to obey the Constitution which the people of North Carolina have adopted as their supreme law, according to my understanding of it, and to give them the benefit of these restrictions on the legislative power, which, by inserting, they have shown that they considered valuable. I admit, fully, the weight of the observation which has been made, that a Court should not refuse to give effect to an act of the Legislature as unconstitutional, unless it is clearly so. But, in this case, I have not been able to bring myself to entertain a doubt, as to the meaning of the Constitution. I think its words are plain and that we are obliged to give them the effect which I have assigned to them, or to deprive them of all practical effect, and of all sensible meaning whatever, and, so thinking, my course of duty is plain and unavoidable.

I concur, in opinion, with the Chief Justice and Dick, J.

A terrible gale visited this city on Monday night and yesterday morning. We have not seen it blow with such violence for many months past. It was exceedingly threatening and it is a great wonder that serious damage was not done to dwellings. Window shutters were banged about with din and confusion, and it almost seemed as if house tops would every moment be taken off. It must have been a terrible time at sea.—*Wil. Journal.*

Two white men on Saturday night were found secreted in a box car at this place loaded with freight, the car having just passed over the Seaboard road and destined for Raleigh. They were arrested and imprisoned until Monday, when they were examined, and it appearing they were only endeavoring to steal a ride to Raleigh, they were turned loose.—*Weldon News.*

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Our Afternoon Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25, M.

The Senate repealed the bill requiring the General of the Army to have his Headquarters here, and orders from the President to be issued through the General.

The Conference Committee on the suffrage amendment have agreed to points not yet transpired.

The Reconstruction Committee are still engaged in considering disabilities, and will report to-morrow.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25, M.

The House is considering coinage

The Senate is on private bills with a perpetual struggle for precedence.

The resolution that the Senate Judiciary Committee will consider no more political disabilities this session, do not affect the bills pending, of which there are three with however many points of disagreement between the two Houses.

FOREIGN.

HAVANA, Feb. 25, M.

The resignation of the U. S. Consul General has been accepted.

The commandant Kessel, a Cuban commanding 6th Regiment Volunteers, has been superceded.

A transport from Spain arrived to-day, with six hundred chasseurs.

MARKETS

NEW YORK, Feb. 25, M.

North Carolinas 63¼. New 69.

Cotton lower at 29¼.

Spirits Turpentine quiet at 35. Rosin quiet and steady at 2,50 to 2,55.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 25, M.

Cotton dull. Uplands 12. Orleans 12¼. Sales 7,000 bales.

Our Midnight Dispatches.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25, P. M.

Customs for the week ending 20th, was three and a half millions.

General Sickles is here.

The President nominated E. O. Townsend, Adjutant General, vice Thomas retired, and also made quite a number of promotions.

Dawes has written a letter to Blain, withdrawing from the contest for the Speakership.

Both parties have issued calls for caucusses, regarding the organization, on Tuesday.

Gen Grant is said to consider Virginia, North Carolina and Alabama, practically, the best reconstructed of the Southern States.

Both Houses are in session.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25, P. M.

HOUSE.—The report of the Conference Committee on the Consular bill was considered. It provides for Commissioners at small salaries.

Butler advocated the report warmly, but it was defeated by a vote of 45 to 102. A new conference was asked.

The Conference Committee on the suffrage amendment, reported that the House would recede from its amendments, and agree to the State proposition which was adopted, yeas 143, nays 43.

The following is the Resolution: "The right of the citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied, or abridged by the United States, or by any State on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude."

The consideration of the legislative appropriation was considered to recess.

SENATE.—A Bill relieving Manufacturers of Naval Machinery for the Government from taxation, passed.

A joint resolution, that Congress shall meet at three o'clock, instead of noon from the fourth of March, passed.

The Army appropriation bill was considered to recess.

THE CASE OF JAMES GRANT.

RICHMOND, Feb. 25, P. M.

In the case of James Grant, on trial for the murder of H. Rives Pollard, several hundred citizens having been questioned and only two were found who had not formed opinion, the Sheriff was directed to summons citizens for the Jury from Alexandria and Norfolk.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO—ARRIVAL OF CHINESE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25, P. M.

Four hundred Chinese women, have arrived.—Rival parties fight over them. Great excitement in Chinese quarters

MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25, P. M.

Cotton heavy and lower—sales of 5,000 bales at 29¼.

Spirits Turpentine 54½ to 55. Rosin 2,45 to 2,48.

Gold 1,32½@1,32¾. North Carolinas, new, 60.

WILMINGTON, Feb. 25, P. M.

Spirits Turpentine weak at 51½

Crude Turpentine steady at 1,85 to 2,90.

Rosin quiet and steady—strained 175@1,80.

Cotton flat.

Tar 15—lower at 2,80.

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF GARDEN & GRASS Seed, from R. Buist, Jr.

Feb. 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON.

SUGARS! SUGARS! SUGARS!

Sugars are high, and, if the revolution continues, they will go higher. Now is the time to buy. Twenty barrels Sugars on hand.

Feb. 24-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

CORN! CORN! CORN!
500 bushels Corn.
MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
200 bushels Meal.
SUPERIOR SEED OATS.
100 bushels Oats. For sale by
Feb. 24-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

SCUPPERNONG WINE.

Another consignment of the very best Scuppernong Wine.

ALSO

The Mish Grape Vines, and other varieties.

Feb 24-tf W. H. JONES & CO., Auc. & Com. Merchants.

FOR SALE.

A consignment of Miscellaneous Books.

Feb 24-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

SUBSTANTIALS.

20 BBLS. FAMILY MESS PORK,
20 " Prime " "
5000 lbs bulk Shoulders.
5000 " " Rib and Clear Rib Sides.
3000 " Choice Sugar-cured Hams.
1000 " Family Leaf Lard.
50 bbls. Prime Super Flour.
150 sacks N. C. & Tennessee Flour, all grades.
50 " Salt.
2000 lbs. F. J. and Refined Sugars.
10 " Choice Coffees.
100 " Select Green and Black Teas.
In Store and arriving.
Raleigh, Feb. 23-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

COTTON AND CORN PLANTERS.

In Store, Johnson's Improved Patent Georgia Cotton Planter; the simplest and cheapest one in use.

Sinclear's Maryland Corn Planter.
Smith's Virginia do.
JAMES M. TOWLES,
Feb 25-tf Ag't for Manufacturers.

THE N. C. LAND COMPANY have applications for two or three Dwelling Houses in the City.

Feb 5-tf

Special Notices.

The Healing Pool.

AN ESSAY FOR YOUNG MEN ON THE CRIME OF SOLITUDE, and the Diseases and Abuses which create impediments to MARRIAGE, with sure means of Relief. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa. jan 21-tf

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence,

JOHN B. OGDEN,
Feb. 4-w3m No. 42 Cedar St., N. Y.

To Consumptives.

The Advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc. The object of the advertiser in sending the prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, will please address REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Feb. 4-w3m Williamsburg, Kings Co., N. Y.

STATE NATIONAL BANK, RALEIGH, N. C.

JNO. G. WILLIAMS, *President.*
WM. E. ANDERSON, *Cashier.*
SAMUEL C. WHITE, *Teller.*

PRICES OF BANK NOTES:

Bank of N. C., (G. B.)	40
" Cape Fear	33
" Charlotte	33
" Lexington, (old)	10
" do Graham,	24
" Roxborough	60
" Wadesborough	30
" Thomasville	20
" Wilmington	37
" Commerce	16
" Washington	3
" Fayetteville	11
" Clarendon	4
" Yanceyville	3
Miners' and Planter's Bank	40
Farmers' Bank, Greensborough, new 20, old	30
Commercial Bank, Wilmington	30
Merchant's Bank, Newbern	60
Greensborough Mutual	6
Virginia Bank Notes, about	35
South Carolina "	22
Georgia "	23
Gold	130
Silver	127
Old Coupons	55
North Carolina Railroad Coupons	93
Old Sixes	63
Exchange on New York	¼
R. & G. Railroad Stock	49
N. C. Rail Road	20
Bal. Gas Light	110
Bal. National Bank	100
State National Bank	100

Greensboro' Money Market.

BUYING RATES OF BANK NOTES, &c., BY WILSON & SHOBER, BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS, SOUTH ELM STREET, GREENSBORO, N. C.

Bank of N. C.	48
" Cape Fear	35
" Charlotte	38
" Wadesboro	30
" Wilmington	37
" Roxboro	62
" Thomasville	25
" Graham	24
" Lexington (old)	10
" " (new)	10
" Commerce	18
" Clarendon	4
" Fayetteville	12
" Washington	5
" Yanceyville	4
Merchants' Bank of Newbern	63
Farmers' Bank of Greensboro', (old)	35
" " (new)	20
Miners' and Planters' Bank	42
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	37
Greensboro Mutual Ins. Co., (old)	5
Virginia Bank Notes average about	40
South Carolina "	20
Georgia "	25
N. C. Railroad Stock	50
N. C. R. R. Dividend Scrip	75

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P. A. WILEY, Cashier,
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Deals in Exchange, Sight Drafts, Gold and Silver Coin, Government and other Securities, Uncurrent Bank Notes bought and sold.

Quotations for North Carolina Bank Notes, from Raleigh National Bank of N. C., Jan. 16, 1869.

Bank of Cape Fear	33
" Charlotte	35
" Clarendon	3
" Commerce	16
" Fayetteville	10
" Lexington, (old)	8
" " (new)	8
" Lexington, payable at Graham	22
" North Carolina	40
" Roxboro'	55
" Thomasville	20
" Wadesboro'	25
" Washington	3
" Wilmington	37½
" Yanceyville	3
Commercial Bank, Wilmington	37½
Farmers Bank of Greensboro'	35
Greensboro' Mutual Insurance Co	7
Merchants Bank	60
Miners and Planters	42

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WANTED.

N. C. R. R. Stock.

We are daily expecting a cargo of Peruvian Guano, which we will sell in lots of five tons or over, delivered on the cars in Petersburg or delivered in Raleigh. Send your orders at once.

Jan. 1, 1869-tf

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We give below our present buying rates for Bank Notes of North Carolina.

Bank of North Carolina	48
" Cape Fear	35
" Charlotte	39
" Clarendon	4
" Commerce	18
" Fayetteville	12½
" Lexington	10
" " Graham	24
" Roxboro'	60
" Thomasville	25
" Wadesboro'	30½
" Washington	4
" Wilmington	37½
" Yanceyville	4
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The organization of this Company on the LOW RATE, CASH PLAN, with new features and unequaled security, has evoked the most remarkable opposition from older and rival Companies. By means, fair and unfair, they have sought to injure the new system, and have attacked it with a degree of virulence unknown in the history of Life Insurance.

Not satisfied with the immense sums of money paid insurance and other journals, to try and check the rapid progress of the National, an unsuccessful motion was made in Congress to repeal its charter, all of which but accelerated its speed, for since then, the largest policies issued has been to members of Congress, whose attention has been thus attracted to its unsurpassed advantages. In the face of this opposition, the work of the Company has gone steadily forward, and it is with no little satisfaction that the GENERAL AGENTS are able to state that the business to date is far in advance of anything hitherto accomplished.

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Feb. 11-tf

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FRESH CANNED TOMATOES. Prices by the gallon or hundred.

Feb 6-tf A. D. TAYLOR.

ANOTHER CRATE OF FINE CABBAGE, at
Feb 17-tf A. D. TAYLOR'S.
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RED SOLE LEATHER GOODS, AND GOOD damaged. A. D. TAYLOR.
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1,000 LBS. TOSQUO BEANS, for sale at cost of freight and charges added to New York prices, by

Feb. 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON.

Mare Stolen—$25 Reward.

STOLEN FROM my stables in Wilson County, on Sunday night last, a SORREL MARE, six years old, under medium size, white hind feet, with a scar from a kick on left hip joint, a blaze in the face and forelop cropped off. Her right eye is weak and runs water. It is thought she was carried in the direction of Clayton.

A reward of $25 will be paid for her recovery.

WM. HINNANT,
Feb. 18-2d12t* Wilson, N. C.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD CO.,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 9th, 1869.

On and after Feb. 23d, 1869, Trains will run on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, as follows:

Mail Train leaves Raleigh	7,30 A. M.
Arrives at Weldon	2,10 P. M.
Mail Train leaves Weldon	10,15 A. M.
Arrives at Raleigh	4,45 P. M.
Freight Train leaves Raleigh	11,35 P. M.
" " arrives at Raleigh	9,30 A. M.

The Mail Trains make unbroken connections with all points North and South.

A. B. ANDREWS,
Feb. 23-tf Superintendent.

FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR!

Patapsco Family, Severn Mills Super and Richmond Super, at

Feb 6-tf A. D. TAYLOR'S.

Notice.

APPLICATION will be made to the present Legislature for a Charter for a Railroad from Rocky Mount Depot, in Edgecombe Co., to the Clarksville Junction, in Warren County, with Banking privileges. Jan15-4ww

MISCELLANEOUS.

Public Sale of Valuable Mills and other Real Estate.

ON MONDAY OF MARCH COURT, at the Court House in Taylorsville, Alexander Co., N. C., it being the 15th day of March next, I will sell at public sale the following property, belonging to the Estate of J. C. Bell, deceased, to-wit:

Two tracts of Land in said County. One tract of finely timbered land 4½ miles West of Taylorsville, containing about 160 acres.

One other, known as the "Bell Mill Tract," 3½ miles West of Taylorsville, on Lower Little River, containing 101 acres, well improved, with two good dwellings and other good out-houses attached; a good Wheat Mill, Corn Mill, Saw Mill, Wool-Carding Machine all in good running order, advantageously situated for safety from freshets, with a water-power sufficient to add to the machinery at pleasure, accessible from both sides of the river by a good graded public Road and situated immediately on the contemplated route of the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad, (bound to be built under the very liberal charter recently granted by the General Assembly,) the above property offers unusual inducements to persons seeking a good investment for their money.

Persons can examine the property by calling on Fields Ingram, the Miller in charge, or D. M. Bell, living on the premises.

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Feb. 20-3tw E. M. STEVENSON, Com'r.

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Feb. 19-tf Druggists, Petersburg, Va.

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It will be the zealous and fearless advocate of the CONSTITUTION of the United States, seeking to bring the people back to their ancient reverence for that immortal instrument, and to restore the policy of the country to that honored standard, as the only guarantee of National prosperity.

It will do justice to the men and measures of the present day, whenever they may merit it, but it will unsparingly lash and denounce all who set themselves up in opposition to the Federal Constitution, and hold up to the public indignation corruption and imbecility in high places.

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" six "	2 00
" three "	1 00

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The friends of the paper and of the cause it advocates are earnestly solicited to aid in its further circulation.

All letters should be addressed to

JOSIAH TURNER, Jr

Dec. 1-tf Boston.

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40 bags Stock Peas.
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Feb. 11-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

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A few Bales Rocky Mount Shirtings—¼ Extra Heavy. By the Bale or Bolt.
Nov. 14-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

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THE ATTENTION OF FARMERS, FRUIT and Vegetable Gardeners, Vine Growers and all others engaged in planting is called to this SUPERIOR FERTILIZER. 200 tons of PURE SOUTH AMERICAN **BONE ASH**, the first and only direct importation ever received at this port.

This Ash is produced from the vast herds of horses and horned cattle which are slain for their hides, the remaining portion of their bodies being reduced to pure ANIMAL CHARCOAL and ASHES, producing the RICHEST MANURE ever used. I warrant this to be pure as made, a genuine Bone Ash.

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Price, $25 per ton of 2,000 lbs., in bags.

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Fresh from the Spring at Saratoga.

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Nov 28-3m

PIANO FORTES TUNED AND REPAIRED. Leave orders at J. H. Enns' Re-Store.
Feb. 6-tf

LAND PLASTER DELIVERED AT DEPOT here for $14 per ton of 2,000 lbs.

Genuine Peruvian Guano at lowest Market rates.

Cash orders solicited.

J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
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Carolina Farmer.

SUBSCRIPTIONS to this new and valuable Journal taken at the Farmer's Hall, where specimen numbers may be seen. Every Farmer who regards his own, or the interests of the Old North State, should subscribe at once.

Feb. 18-tf JAS. M. TOWLES, Ag't.

Notice.

AT A MEETING of the Directors of the American Mining and Manufacturing Company, held this day at Lenoir's, Tenn., Mr. I. T. Lenoir, of Sweetwater, Tenn. was elected President, and Dr. B. B. Lenoir, of Lenoir's, Tenn., was elected Secretary and Treasurer.

More than the required amount of stock has already been taken, and the Company is fully organized, in accordance with the charter granted by the state of North Carolina, on the eighteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Published by order of the President.

B. B. LENOIR, Sec'y & Treas.
Lenoir's, Tenn., Jan. 28 1869-tf

Broke Jail—$100 Reward!

TWO COLORED WOMEN, Mary Jane Davis and Jennie Green confined in the common Jail of Orange County, for the murder of Smith Green, colored, made their escape from prison on the night of the 17th of January inst.

Mary Jane Davis is black, heavy built, about 30 years old, always cheerful, and generally talkative.

Jennie Green is of a ginger-cake color, medium size, rather stupid in her appearance, had a scar on chin about three months old when she made her escape; she is about 21 or 22 years old.

The above reward will be paid for their delivery to the sheriff of Orange County, or $50 for either of them.

JOHN TURNER,
Hillsboro' Feb 24-1w Sheriff of Orange Co.

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A. D. TAYLOE,
Feb. 17-tf No. 10 Hargett St.

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Another Loss Paid, Dec. 23, 1868.

$5,000.

"Received of the ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, at the hands of W. H. Crow, General Agent, payment in full for my deceased husband's policy, No. 45 661, amounting to $5,000, dated 15th November, 1867.

Mrs. BETTIE E. BARNETT,
Smithfield, N. C."

ALL THE COST of the above was $20.85. The assets of the Company are now

$11,000,000,

Ample guarantee for future losses. And with all the peculiar advantages proposed by rivals, none have ever yet done better, for *the living or the departed*, than this old and well tried Institution.

The ÆTNA is not before the American people as under bidder for subjects. Her standard is as liberal and fair as possible for the security and safety of all, who wish to be gainers in the end.

Persons contemplating an investment will find it to their interest to call on the subscriber, or any of his agents.

W. H. CROW,
General State Agent,
Dec. 29 3m *Raleigh, N. C.*

Copartnership.

I HAVE, THIS DAY associated with me my son, JOHN S. PESCUD, and the Drug business hereafter will be conducted under the firm of

P. F. PESCUD & SON.

The CASH PLAN will BE STRICTLY OBSERVED.—We must have the cash or an equivalent, on delivery of goods.

The Senior partner returns his thanks to his friends, and the public generally, for their generous support for the past 25 years, and hopes it will be continued to the new firm, who will use their utmost exertions to merit and share increased patronage.

All indebted will please pay up this month, as my old business must be closed speedily.

Jan 2-1869-tf P. F. PESCUD.

WHISKEY! WHISKEY! WHISKEY!

50 bbls. common to fair Whiskey on consignment, which will be sold low, for cash.

Nov 23-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

DID YOU KNOW!

JENKINS & SKILES,

At Thomasville, N. C.,

BREEDERS AND SHIPPERS OF

CHESTER WHITE HOGS,

Had the FINEST and PUREST STOCK in the United States?

They cordially invite all to visit their Pens and see the fine specimens of this Stock, which are sold at about half the usual rates. WARRANTED PURE AND AT LOW RATES.

☞ Send for Circular of prices and particulars. dec 18 6m.

$50 Reward.

TWO OR MORE PERSONS broke into my cellar, on Sunday night last, and stole therefrom some $300 worth of LIQUORS and other wet goods. Among the articles stolen was one TEN gallon and two FIVE-gallon kegs of Whiskey, branded "Joe Williams, Yadkin County;" and one keg containing 14 gallons of very fine old Apple Brandy.

I will give FIFTY DOLLARS reward for the apprehension of the thieves, and the recovery of the above named articles.

Raleigh, Jan 14-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

DIVIDEND SCRIP.

The Raleigh National Bank will pay eighty (80) for N. C Railroad Dividend Scrip.

Jan 26-tf P. A. WILEY, Cashier.

PRAIRIE'S

SAMPLE ROOMS

AND

RESTAURANT,

31 FAYETTEVILLE STREET,

RALEIGH, N. C.

W. R. PEPPER, Superintend't.

THIS ELEGANT AND WELL-KNOWN RESTAURANT is now under the sole charge of the well-known Caterer, **W. R. PEPPER,** who is fully determined to make this house

The House of Raleigh.

This House has been lately refitted without regard to expense, and is now complete in all its appointments and is supplied with the best

MEAT, FISH AND GAME,

from the Norfolk, Richmond and Raleigh Markets.

The SHELL and OPENED **OYSTERS** are of an extra quality.

THE BAR

Is supplied with the finest Foreign and Domestic Wines, Liquors, Segars, etc., and in charge of MAGUIRE, who knows how to "mix 'em."

THE BILLIARD HALL

Is a very fine Room, with three first-class Tables, in charge of DICK PARTIN, the finest Billiardist in the South.

J. P. PRAIRIE,
dec 23-tf Proprietor.

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IT HAS NO EQUAL!

G. W. GAIL & AX'S

CELEBRATED

SCOTCH SNUFF,

IS PRONOUNCED BY ALL AMATEUR DIPPERS TO BE THE BEST SNUFF IN THE MARKET.

TRY IT! TRY IT! TRY IT!!

And be convinced of the Fact.

Ask for it and take no other, and see that it has our name on it.

For sale, in Raleigh, by

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W. C. STRONACH & Co., B. P. CHEATHAM & BRO.
R. K. PESCUD, L. H. ADAMS,
HENRY PESCUD.

NOTICE.—The high reputation that our Snuff has attained has induced certain manufacturers to imitate our trade mark. The quality of our Snuff does not lay in the trade mark, but the superior quality of Tobacco that it is manufactured of.

G. W. GAIL & AX,
Jan. 8. 3m Baltimore.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.

We have received our supply of GARDEN SEEDS, all warranted of the best quality, and the growth of 1868.

WILLIAMS & LAMBETH,
Jan. 27-tf Booksellers.

FOR SALE.

A "Common Sense" Sewing Machine, all complete.

Jan. 13-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

SEED OATS.

Just to hand and for sale by

W. H. JONES & CO.,
Feb. 16-tf Auc. & Commission Merchants.

Iron, Iron.

ALL KINDS OF IRON, for Farming purposes, for sale by

Feb. 19-tf UPCHURCH & DODD.

MISCELLANEOUS

PERUVIAN GUANO.

10 tons Peruvian Guano in store.
Dec 1-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

WHOLESALE DRUG TRADE!

JORDAN & CARR,

DRUGGISTS,

Sycamore, Corner Washington Street,

PETERSBURG, VA.,

Take pleasure in offering to the Merchants, Physicians, Planters and the public generally of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee, one of the most extensive and complete stocks of

DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS,

Oils, Varnishes, Dye-Stuffs, Window Glass, Brushes, Combs, Fancy and Toilet Articles, Spices, Perfumery, Soaps, &c., &c., ever before offered in the Southern States.

Dealers and the public are cordially invited to call and examine their stock and prices.

WALTER B. JORDAN,
Dec 1 JOSEPH CARR.

GET THE BEST ALMANAC.

TURNER'S NORTH CAROLINA ALMANAC for 1869 has the State Government in full; all the Courts; the Militia System; Postage Rates; Scale of Confederate Currency; Homestead Law; Digest of State Constitution; Public Works; Railroads and Officers; Tables; Receipts; Anecdotes, &c., &c., making it the most complete and valuable Almanac ever published. Price 10 cents per copy. One dozen 75 cents.—Half gross $4.00. Gross $7 00.

Single copies sent by mail on receipt of price.

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Nov. 28-tf Raleigh.

FOR PLANTERS!

BAGGING 23¼ YD.

A lot of Calcutta Bagging—standard weight.

G. T. STRONACH,
Dec 1-tf Com. Merchant

MRS. HENRY W. MILLER'S

BOARDING HOUSE,

CORNER NEWBERN AND PERSON STREETS,

RALEIGH, N. C.

Jan 1-tf

T. V. MOSS,

WATCH-MAKER AND JEWELLER,

HAS RESUMED BUSINESS IN THE Store formerly occupied by C. B. Root, Esq., and now by Mr H. T. CLAWSON,

No. 9, East Side Fayetteville St.,

5 doors South of the State House, where he will be pleased to serve his friends and the public generally.

dec 25,tf

THE EXCHANGE HOTEL,

[FORMERLY MOODY HOUSE,]

CHARLOTTE, N. C.,

HAS BEEN RE-OPENED for the accommodation of the traveling public by Mr. and Mrs. ROWE, formerly of Company Shops Hotel. Terms moderate. Transient custom solicited. As "THE EXCHANGE" is under the direction of the skill and unsurpassed experience of one of the most accomplished caterers now to be found in the South, it is reasonable to ask for it a share of the public patronage. Call and test the decision.

Jan. 7-tf

NEW SEWING MACHINES

OF ALL KINDS

For Rent, Sale or Exchange,

By WILLIAM F. JONES,

219 West Baltimore Street,

Near Charles,

UP STAIRS, **BALTIMORE.**

Machines Rented with Operators for Families.

Dec. 30-3m.

THE GRAPE VINES HAVE ARRIVED.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
Jan. 26-tf Auctioneers & Com. Merchants.

PHILLIPS & MERRIMON,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

RALEIGH, N. C.

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Dec 29-tf

Important to Farmers and Planters.

GRIMES' PATENT RAW BONE PHOSPHATE.

THE past two years have fully realized this Raw Bone Phosphate to be the cheapest and BEST in the Market, and unsurpassed by the highest priced Guanos. Its adaptation to Wheat, Corn, Oats, Buckwheat Tobacco, Garden Truck, Grasses, &c., has been fully and most satisfactorily tested. Finely ground and suitable for drilling, put up in bags of 167 lbs. each.

O. F. MERRYMAN & CO., Sole Manufacturers, Warehouse 54 S. Gay St., between Lombard and Pratt, Baltimore, Md.

For sale by

W. C. STRONACH & CO.,
Jan. 22-tf Raleigh, N. C.

PUMPS.

EVERYBODY who has use for a PUMP should buy MORRELL'S FIRE ENGINE, DEEP WELL AND FORCE PUMP.

Send for a Circular.

POOLE & HUNT,
Jan 13-6m. Baltimore, Md

FIELD AND GARDEN SEEDS.

Warranted Crop of 1868.

JUST RECEIVED, from the oldest and most reliable Seedman in the Southern country, a full supply of the best varieties of Garden Seeds. Also, Red Clover, Herd Grass, Timothy, Orchard and Blue Grass Seed. Orders respectfully solicited

Feb 6-tf JAS. M. TOWLES.

GILLIAM & DUNLOP,

IRON AND STEEL WAREHOUSE,

121 SYCAMORE ST., PETERSBURG, Va.

KEEP CONSTANTLY on hand a full assortment of

IRON AND STEEL.

They are Agents for the sale of the celebrated

ARROW COTTON TIE,

FAIRBANKS' SCALES, (at N. Y. prices.)

OILS OF ALL KINDS at Wholesale,

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AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

of all descriptions. Especial attention is invited to the BRINKERHOFF CORN SHELLER, CLEANER AND SEPARATOR, recommended by the U. S. Commissioner of Agriculture, as being "THE VERY BEST HAND SHELLER IN THE UNITED STATES." It requires only one man to feed and work it.

Orders promptly attended to.

Jan 20 3m

R. H. COWAN & CO.,

General Commission and Shipping Merchants,

AND

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

Agents for M. Davis & Son's (Liberty, Va.,) celebrated Virginia Chewing Tobacco.
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Agents for Vulcan Iron Works, Richmond, Va.

R. H. COWAN,
JNO. W. CAMERON, } **Wilmington, N. C.,**
JAS. H. HILL. *No. 33 North Water St.*
Nov 26, 1868

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Produce Commission Merchants,

CORNER HIGH & WATER STREETS,

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Will sell in the markets of NORFOLK and PORTSMOUTH, LIVERPOOL, or LONDON, Cotton, Tobacco, Naval Stores, Dried Fruit and all marketable Produce.

Liberal advancements made on actual shipments, and personal attention paid to purchase of merchandise.

Nov 17

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FOR THE SALE AND PURCHASE OF

Tobacco, Cotton, Grain, Flour, Produce and Merchandise of every description.

44 South Street, near Exchange Place,

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LIQUORS.

5 bbls. Bumgardner Whiskey, warranted pure.

G. T. STRONACH,
Dec 1-tf Commission Merchant.

CORN MEAL.

100 bushels prime.
Dec 1-tf G. T. STRONACH.

CORN.

Another supply.
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MRS. C. R. OWEN,

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MRS. OWEN, after fifteen years experience in the business, feels capable of suiting the taste of any lady.

She offers her services to the Ladies of North Carolina in making and purchasing BONNETS AND DRESSES for them.

Dec. 8-tf

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WM. JOHNSON, of Petersburg, Va., WILL UNDERTAKE the building and repairing of all kinds of Mills—

GRIST, SAW, AND COTTON MILLS,

Make Surveys construct Dams and Canals, and will furnish all kind of GEARING MACHINERY, as low as can be bought anywhere.

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Wanted.

DIVIDEND SCRIP of the N. C. RAILROAD, for which the RALEIGH NATIONAL BANK will pay 75 cts. for the dollar.

Raleigh, Dec. 2-tf

SUPERIOR CATAWBA WINE, N. C. manufacture. Call and try it.

Jan. 4-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

FOR RENT.

A handsome STORE ROOM and Basement.—Possession at once.

Jan 4-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

SEED WHEAT AND WINTER SEED OATS

100 bushels Lancaster Red Wheat.
100 " Boughton White "
100 " Pa. Rise Stem "
100 " Prime Winter Seed Oats.

All of the above I have taken care to select, and can recommend as the best to be had

Dec. 1 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

THIEM & MILLER'S

EXCHANGE,

THE FINEST

RESTAURANT

AND

BILLIARD SALOON

IN THE SOUTH.

THIS SALOON has been newly fitted in a style not equalled by any in the whole United States, as regards elegance and completeness.

THE BILLIARD SALOON

contains two new Tables from the celebrated Manufactory of Phelan & Collends, which are universally acknowledged to be the best tables in the country. All things pertaining to a first-class Billiard Saloon will be found here.

THE RESTAURANT

is under the supervision of one of the best cooks in the Southern States, and the cooking at this establishment cannot be surpassed in any city.

All the delicacies of the season will be found in the larder, while an ample supply of live birds is always on hand. Elegant Dinners and Suppers for parties, gotten up in the best style at short notice.

THE BAR

contains the finest assortment of Wines, Liquors and Segars ever brought into the State, and in variety equals that of any bar in the country.

The public will always find polite and attentive bar-keepers to administer to their wants. Of the truth of these statements our large and steadily increasing patronage is the strongest testimony.

THIEM & MILLER,
Dec. 29-tf Proprietors

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A FINE LARGE HOUSE AND LOT; House with 8 Rooms, one acre of ground, and all necessary out-houses.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
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Cotton Seed Meal.

200 BUSHELS COTTON SEED MEAL, the best COW FOOD in existence, which I will sell for one dollar per bushel.

Jan 16-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

LYNN ADAMS,

Iron and Steel Warehouse,

KEEP constantly on hand a full assortment of IRON and STEEL, such as Swedes Iron, for farming purposes. English Refined, for Tire; Round, Oval, half oval, Band, Hoop, &c. Nail Rods, Sheet Iron, Cast Steel, Blister Steel, German Steel, of round, square and flat sizes. The largest and best selected stock in the city. Orders from a distance will receive prompt attention.

Feb 4-tf

Fruit Trees and Plants for Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED, proprietor of the Ewingsville Nursery, Mercer County, New Jersey, offers for sale a fine stock of

FRUIT TREES,

including all kinds of small fruits and Strawberry Vines. Having also established a Nursery at Littleton, N. C., all orders addressed to him at that place will receive prompt attention.

SAMUEL G. BILYEU,
Feb. 4-dawlm Littleton, N. C.

BUNCOMBE BUTTER.

Just received, sweet and rich.
Feb. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

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200 TONS OF PURE SOUTH AMERICAN BONE ASH at $30 per ton of 2 000 lbs. We recommend this with the same confidence we do Oyster Shell Lime. This is fresh burnt and pure.

J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
General Commission Merchants,
Feb. 9-dawim

VALUABLE IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED CITY PROPERTY for sale by the North Carolina Land Company,
Raleigh, Feb. 3-tf

Grape Vines,

CATAWBA, SCUPPERNONG AND MUSCADINE, well rooted and ready for planting, raised in the Eastern part of the State.

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A large and splendid assortment of

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OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL STYLES.

Varying in price from $1 to $12.

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Some of the handsomest

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FAMILY BIBLES

Ever brought to this Market.

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ALL STATE

RAILWAY LINES, (THAT USED TO BE!)

THE OLD RALEIGH & GASTON RAIL ROAD
THE SHORTEST, QUICKEST, SAFEST AND
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BE LEFT OUT IN THE COLD. UNLESS SHIPPERS SPECIALLY
SAY VIA. R. & G. R. R.!

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C. B. ALLEN,
Nov 23. Freight Ag't Raleigh N.C.

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NEW METHOD OF WASHING CLOTHES

WITHOUT LABOR.

THE AUTOMATIC

CLOTHES WASHER AND BOILER.

THIS BOILER IS MOST EFFECTUAL, reliable and universally recommended. It can be used on any Stove or Range, in any boiler, and the Low rates of the article places it within the reach of every family.

This Boiler operates upon purely philosophical principles, is self-acting, and dispenses with labor and the wear of the clothes.

The hot suds and steam, by the action of heat are driven up through tubes, poured upon the clothes, and forced through the fabric with astonishing rapidity, cleansing all articles, from the finest laces to the bed-blanket. For Flannels it is invaluable, as it does not full them as in the old process of rubbing and pressing.

The time required for cleansing a boiler full of clothes is twenty to thirty minutes, and nearly three hundred gallons of boiling suds are forced through the fabric, thoroughly loosening and eradicating the dirt WITHOUT LABOR or friction.—A thorough rinsing finishes the process.

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The great value of this invention appears so clear, and appeals so directly to common sense, that we have deemed it unnecessary to accompany its introduction with numerous letters of approval, &c.

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J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
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Standard copy.

GROCERIES, &c.

50 kegs Old Dominion Nails.
5 boxes Axes.
75 Sacks Liverpool Fine Salt.
10 Tierces Hams.
10 bbls. Prime Mullets.
25 kits No. 1 Boston Mackerel.
10 bbls Peach Blow Potatoes.
1000 lbs new Carolina Rice.
20 Sacks Rio Coffee.
5 " Laguira do.
200 lbs Green and Black Tea—choice brands.
50 Sacks N. C. Flour.
25 bbls Brown, Refined and Crush'd Sugars.
10 kegs Glades and Goshen Butter.
20 Gross Parlor Matches.
50 Reams large and small sized Wrapping Paper

Any or all of which can be bought on good terms.

Dec 1 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

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Feb. 2-tf

To North Carolina Farmers.

PLANT CANES AND MAKE YOUR OWN SUGARS and SYRUPS by Weller & Hatcher's patented process. Sugar thus made will cost about 6 cents per pound, and Syrup about 30 cts. per gallon. District, County and individual rights for sale. Send for circulars with full particulars. Agents wanted

WM. F. BEASLEY,
Sole Agent for North Carolina,
Feb 10-tap1 Tarboro', N. C.

APPLES, APPLES.

10 bbls just received.
Feb. 1-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

DRY GOODS.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

AT HOME AGAIN!!

WITH A HOUSE RAMMED AND PACKED FULL OF

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

FOR

1868.

COME TO

A. CREECH'S!

For Ladies' Goods! For Gentlemen's Goods! For Misses' Goods! For Boys' Goods! Ditto for Children!

MY STOCK IS LARGE AND VERY COMplete. Allow me to say that you see some very strange advertisements. Some say they bought goods before the rise—some after the decline—some just in time—some in luck again—some buy goods cheaper than anybody else—some selling goods at unprecedentedly low prices—some controlling the trade &c. &c., and all such stuff. What a rocky set of individuals!

Now just let ME tell you, that there is more humbug than poetry in all this. Don't every man, woman and child know that it is humbug—large enough to be seen even with one eye shut? So let them talk, puff and blow, but STOP, LOOK OUT! **HANDS OFF!** and show your good judgment by

COMING TO CREECH'S

to buy your goods. I intend to run through this campaign with my motto, to give each and every individual value received for their support!

A fine opportunity for the ladies to exercise their inalienable rights, as well as the gentlemen. Don't stop until you COME TO CREECH'S. You will find me at R. Smith's corner, attending to my business, always ready to give you the worth of your money.

A. CREECH,
Fayetteville Street.
Dec 1-tf Raleigh, N.C.

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AND

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Dec 19-3m

J. P. PRAIRIE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

LIQUORS, WINES, ALES, SEGARS AND TOBACCO,

No. 31 FAYETTEVILLE STREET.

I OFFER TO MY PATRONS and the public a complete assortment of

Liquors, Segars and Tobacco,

Composed of

FINE FRENCH BRANDIES, IRISH AND SCOTCH WHISKIES, JAMAICA AND ST. CROIX RUM, CHAMPAGNE SHERRY, PORT AND MADEIRA WINES, HOLLAND GIN, ENGLISH, SCOTCH AND AMERICAN ALES, TOUCHONS AND GERMAN BITTERS, &c.,

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My long experience in the Liquor business, and the facilities offered to me by Northern Houses, enables me to sell BETTER LIQUORS FOR LESS MONEY, than any other House in Raleigh.

Also on hand, a well selected stock of GROCERIES, at the lowest market prices.

Dec. 17-tf

AGRICULTURAL LIME.

300 TONS SHELL LIME.
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300 TONS SHELL LIME.
300 TONS SHELL LIME.

Which I will deliver on board the cars at Portsmouth for seven dollars and fifty cents ($7,50) per Ton of 2,000 lbs.

Deposit your money and give me your orders.

B. P. WILLIAMSON.
Raleigh, Dec 1-tf

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SWEET FRESH MOUNTAIN BUTTER, in small packages.

Jan. 9-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

Gentlemen's Business Suits.

TEN SUITS MORE just at hand, of those most desirable Clothing manufactured and made up in the old North state. This is the third supply received this season, and will be sold at auction rates. Only $8 50 for full suit—Coat, Pants and Vest.

Feb. 6-1w JAS. M. TOWLES,
Asc. & Com. Merchant.

Plows, Plows, Plows.

I HAVE on hand, OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE, now ready for delivery,

500 No. 0 Plows.
100 " A 8 "
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